

GCMS Cougar Connections

November, 2021



#RebuildingTheFoundation

GCMS Innovation Institute is providing awesome opportunities for project-based learning each week!



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GCMS Ranked as a Top MS by US News & World Report!

In their recent first-ever rankings of public middle schools, U.S. News and World Report ranked GCMS as one of the top middle schools in Kentucky, earning the designation of "U.S. News Best Middle School." Schools were analyzed based on pupil proficiency in math and reading, factoring in the context of socioeconomic demographics.

We are very proud of our students and staff, with the hard work and excellence that led to this awesome recognition!



Representative Samara Heavrin is Principal for a Day



On Wed., Oct. 13, Rep. Samara Heavrin became the GCMS "Principal for a Day." She helped Mr. Parker in the office, attended walk-through observations of classes and even helped supervise and clean the cafeteria. Attending the entire school day, she had a chance to speak to many students and staff members. We are very appreciative of her time in learning about our school.

The PFAD program is promoted by the Kentucky Association for School Administrators and is designed to give legislators a first-hand look at what is going on in Kentucky schools and to build stronger partnerships between legislators and public education. The PFAD program is not meant to be just a normal school visit, but rather to see how things really work and what administrators deal with daily. *(Description from KASA website)*

Cross Country Teams Finish 1st at FSHS

Both the girls and boys teams came out on top at the Franklin-Simpson HS Wilderness Run on Sat., Oct. 16.



GRAYSON COUNTY MIDDLE SCHOOL



VISION:

To build successful, productive citizens who have a meaningful impact on their community.

MISSION:

Empower students to reach their full potential by achieving academic excellence and embracing our core values.

Special Visit from Wilkey Elem!
GCMS had a special visit from Wilkey students, thanking our Leadership Team for Halloween candy they received!



Cougar & Lady Cougar Basketball are in full stride. All teams are having a great season!



**GCMS
Cougar Zone**

Cougar Zone Going Strong!
Parents, don't forget to take advantage of this outstanding enrichment program. Also, we are now requiring students who are falling behind to attend our remediation and tutoring. Failure is not an option at GCMS!

Red Ribbon Week Concludes with Costume Contest

GCMS ended a very successful Red Ribbon week with a fun costume contest, with participation from students and staff alike! Students had the opportunity for several "dress-up" days, and more importantly, pledged to be drug, alcohol, and tobacco/vape free.



GCMS Music Ensembles Hold Fall Concerts



Rebuilding the Foundation Each Day!



November 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
7	8 GCMS Boys Basketball vs. Trinity HOME 5:00	9 GCMS Boys Basketball vs. Muhlenberg South HOME 5:30	10 GRREC observations in co-taught science & in CSI	11 GCMS Girls Basketball vs. Muhlenberg Co. AWAY 5:15 GCMS Boys Basketball vs. Warren East HOME 5:30 PROGRESS GRADES SENT HOME	12 Principal's Advisory Council - 7:30 - Cafeteria	13
14	15	16 GCMS Girls Basketball vs. Edmonson Co. AWAY 5:30 GCMS Boys Basketball vs. Hancock Co. AWAY 5:30 No Cougar Zone	17 School Picture Retakes 8:00-10:00 SBDM Meeting @ 3:15	18 GCMS Girls Basketball vs. Ohio Co. HOME 5:30 GCMS Boys Basketball vs. Breck Co. AWAY 5:30	19	20
21	22 Thanksgiving Break	23 Thanksgiving Break <input type="checkbox"/> GCMS Girls Basketball vs. McClean Co. AWAY 5:30	24 Thanksgiving Break	25 Happy Thanksgiving	26 Thanksgiving Break	27
28	29	30 GCMS Girls Basketball vs. Ohio Co. AWAY 5:30 GCMS Boys Basketball vs. Muhlenberg North AWAY 5:30	Dec 1	Dec 2 GCMS Boys Basketball vs. Trinity AWAY 5:30	Dec 3	Dec 4

Upcoming Dates:

12/10 - 12/17 - Girls Basketball GRVC Tourney

Fri., Dec. 17 - Last Day of 2nd Grading Period



Parents & Students, information is at your fingertips.

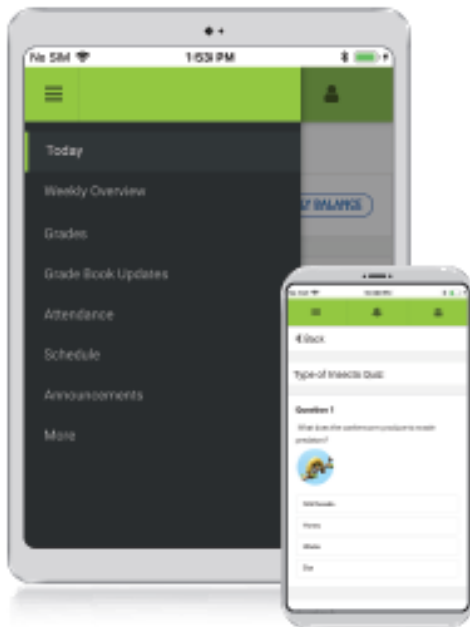


Access on the Web Campus Student and Campus Parent

Campus Student and Campus Parent are designed to provide real-time access to student information. The easy-to-use design displays what is currently happening in the classroom so you can understand, monitor, and participate in the educational process.

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Quickly see district announcements as they are posted.

Assignments

Browse assignments by specific class or due date.

Attendance

Review attendance events in summary and detail form.

Grades

Immediate access to grades as they are posted.

Schedule

Review schedule from anywhere, at any time.



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